



**FACILITIES AND CAMPUS ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE**

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Action Memorandum

Monday, November 25, 2013

**To:** Vice-President Student Services and Affairs

**CC:** Director of Student Life

**From:** Dana Lee Ling, Chair, Facilities and Campus Environment committee

**Re:** Management of loud sounds during student activity events

The Facilities and Campus Environment committee on the fifteenth day of the eleventh month of two thousand and thirteen made a consensus request in regards the management of loud sounds associated with student activities events at the LRC. The following is quoted from the meeting minutes:

The 15 November diabetes health fair used speakers with sufficient volume to disturb classes including students taking a difficult test in the business division at 9:30. In the early set-up of the fair, one speaker was located at the northeast corner of the LRC and was pointing south. With that orientation much of the volume of the sound traveled between the north and south faculty buildings and out into the classroom area to the east. Later in the morning the speakers were reoriented.

The committee suggested that speakers be kept in front of the main entrance of the LRC, pointed northward, and that the volume be kept at a level that does not disturb the classes. The committee also suggested that speeches and remarks might be most appropriately timed to occur during the free period, including "opening" remarks. The fair should still "open" in the morning, but speeches would be during the free period.